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For Fitchburg and Boston, 1:37, 3:15, 7:25, 9:53, 11:59 a. m., 2:22, 4:12 p. m., and 6:00 p. m.  
For Worcester, 1:57, 3:15, 7:25, 9:53, 11:59 a. m., 2:22 p. m.

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For Williamstown, Hoosick Falls, Troy and Albany, 6:35, 7:45, 10:05 a. m., 12:15, 1:25, 5:00, 7:50, 11:40 p. m., 12:25, 7:40 p. m.  
For New York, 7:45, 10:05 a. m., 12:15 p. m.  
For Burlington and Rutland (via B. & R. R.), 7:45 a. m., 1:25 and 4:50 p. m.  
For Saratoga, 7:45 a. m., 1:25, 5:00 p. m.  
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**MAILS ARRIVE.**  
5 a. m. New York City, 1:30, Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R.; Troy, N. Y., 5:30, New York City, Boston, South and West via Fitchburg, 9:53, New York and West via Fitchburg R. R., 11:27, Troy, N. Y., 11:45, Bridgeville, Stamford, Hartsville and Readsboro, Vt.  
12:05 p. m. New York, New York, Pittsfield, and Southern Mass., Maine, New Hampshire and Way Stations on Fitchburg R. R., 1:30, Florida, Mass., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2:35, Pittsfield, 4:45, New York, Southern and Western States, 5:50, Pittsfield, Worcester, Springfield, Holyoke, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Southern Mass., 7:00, Williamstown, Williamstown Station and Blackinton, 8:05, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Way Mail via Fitchburg R. R., 8:15, Boston & Albany R. R., Way Stations west of Pittsfield, 11:40, Boston.  
**SUNDAY.**—8 a. m. Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R., New York, Troy, N. Y., N. Y.

**MAILS CLOSE.**  
4 a. m. Boston, Pittsfield, Adams, New York, Albany and Southern Mass., 6:40, New York, Albany, Troy, Williamstown, Williamstown Station, Blackinton, Southern and Western States, 9:15, New York, Albany and all points West and South via Boston & Albany R. R., 9:25, Boston, Canada, Readsboro, and all points East via Fitchburg R. R., 11:20, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire and Rhode Island, 11:50, Pittsfield, Adams, Zionsville and Southern Mass., 11:55, New York and all points West and South.  
1:30 p. m. Bridgeville, Mass., Stamford, Hartsville and Readsboro, Vt., Florida, Mass., Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, 2:35, New York, Albany and all points West and South via Boston & Albany R. R., 2:45, Boston, Canada, Readsboro, and all points East via Fitchburg R. R., 4:40, Troy, and all points West and South, 7:45, Boston, New York City and all points East, West, North and South, reaches New York at 7 a. m., 11:15, Boston and East, New York and West and South.  
8:15 p. m. New York, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, and all points West and South.  
**CANADIAN MAILS** close at 11:55 a. m., 7:45 p. m. daily except Sundays; Sundays close at 7 p. m.  
**MOVING ORGANS.**—Organizers open daily (except Sundays) from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.  
**GENERAL DELIVERY** and **STAMPS** open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.  
**CARRIAGE SERVICE** from 7 to 9 p. m.  
**SUNDAY DELIVERY** 9 to 10 a. m.

## SUBURBAN NEWS.

**Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.**

**ADAMS.**

**Genuine Fakirs.**  
Last night, two fakirs opened shop at the post-office square and one of them, a one-legged man, started the ball rolling by doing as he expressed it, "some difficult mathematical work in lightning calculating." It consisted simply of formulae which could easily be learned by a child. After a while the man took out what he called "magnifying glasses," but which were in reality, only glass bulbs containing water and sealed. He said he would give these away and passed several into the crowd, demanding a quarter in return. After a while he took these back, refunded the quarters, and passed more out at fifty cents. The people thinking they were to get their money back waited, while the one-legged man's partner started to sell indecent pictures. He had not gone very far when Chief Curran interrupted the proceedings and ordered them to light out at once, and they lost no time in doing so.

**Cot the Hay in.**  
Yesterday afternoon, a novel scheme for making hay was put into operation by A. J. Follett, at his manure. All the men and boys, who wanted to "hay" it, it, were there, got as little work as possible, and in return got all they wanted of what can't be bought in Adams.

**Berkshire Stockholders' Meeting.**  
The stockholders of the Berkshire Cotton Manufacturing company, at their meeting yesterday afternoon, confirmed the recent action of the directors, in regard to building the great new mill. Full power of action has been left with the Plunkett brothers, and as soon as the contract is awarded, next Thursday, work will begin.

**A Real Estate Deal.**  
George Haff has for some time been negotiating with E. A. Bradley, agent for the Collins estate, for the purchase of the property on Dean street. He finally succeeded yesterday in making the purchase for \$3500. Mr. Haff will probably enlarge the building which now includes his store but has not yet concluded what he will do in this line.

**St. Jean Baptiste Officers.**  
The St. Jean Baptiste society elected these new officers at their semi-annual meeting last evening: President, John S. Borden; vice president, Abraham Soule; recording secretary, G. Brodel; financial secretaries, Louis Lamourier, Joseph T. Dupont; corresponding secretary, J. Balot; treasurer, Rufus Fargue; investigating committee, Israel Lafave, Theodore Gaudin, Eugene Matheux; sick committee, C. Pigeon, E. Matchew, Jr.

**The American Sweepstakes.**  
The entries for the American championship sweepstakes race to be run at Brooklyn Labor day, have closed and seventeen men will contest for the big purse and the championship medal. The Police News, under whose auspices the run was started, says of Jack Doyle: "Jack Doyle was generally regarded this way as the winner of last year's championship until the news of his untimely breakdown was received, and the Eastern talent was all at sea in trying to forecast the result at Denver. Doyle has fully recovered from his breakdown and he will be knocking at the door when the finish is reached." Doyle will train at Stamford, Conn.

**Turn On the Lights Earlier.**  
Wednesday evening, about 8 o'clock, a local wheelman was coming up Columbia street, near the dugway, when he was suddenly run upon by two teams. He did not see them nor did they see him, until they were in close contact. It was by the luckiest chance the bicycle evaded the teams. Had the electric lights been turned on earlier no such occurrence as this would be possible and this certainly should be done.

Misses Abbey and Florence Snow went today for a visit at Boston, Scituate and other places in the eastern part of the state.  
The show which is to be given at Cheshire by the Universalist ministers, will be July 25 and 26. Thomas Palmer of this town has charge, and says it will be produced outside of Cheshire a little later.

Miss Gormley, who has been the guest of Miss Nellie Barrett, will return to her home tomorrow, accompanied by Miss Allie Barrett. F. Joseph Gormley of the same city is expected here next week.

A lawn party will be held at the home of John D. Hawes tonight.  
John S. Borden was in North Adams this morning, attending the funeral of a relative.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Theophilus Broderick recently.  
A. L. DeBarthe and Arthur J. Follett have made a horse trade.

Miss Kate Cullinan is visiting at her home in Arlington, Vt.  
John Burke, who was in court this

morning charged with drunkenness, was released on three months' probation.

William Norman, who was employed at J. L. Scott's barber shop in Williamstown, has taken a position with Peter Mitchell of State street, North Adams.

W. D. Parsons has returned from a trip down the Hudson.  
James Orr and daughter Agnes went to-day to New York and will sail for Europe tomorrow.

John Brice and George Grout will pitch quoits at Renfrew tomorrow for \$10 a side.

## CHESHIRE.

There were several newspaper reporters in town yesterday from Adams, Pittsfield and North Adams.  
Miss Anna Ryan and Miss Sadie Burnett of Albany are at the Hoosac Valley house for a few days as guests of the proprietor.

R. A. Smith and wife of Dalton spent yesterday visiting at Frank T. Footers.  
The musical show consisting of twenty-one persons, and for the benefit of the Universalist church, will show here on the 25th and 26th, evenings.

C. L. Hayden of Fitchburg is in town for a few days as guest of Mr. Elliott of Gloucester, who is stopping at the "Cedars."

Two Arab boys canvassed our streets pretty thoroughly yesterday with their wares and notions. They were very civil and won some trade.

The school committee are putting up a much needed stairs at the rear of the school building at the Center, and three doors similar to the front.

Janitor Morey is secured again, his eighth year, to take charge of the Center school building.  
Catholic people are soon to hold a lawn gathering at their church grounds. This church's grounds are very fitting for such a party.

## WILLIAMSTOWN.

The engagement of Mary Turner to Arthur Hunt has been announced. Miss Turner is a highly respected young lady of Blackinton and Mr. Hunt is one of Williamstown's prosperous young business men.

W. M. Ratter of Chicago and James Gould of Seneca Falls, N. Y., are the guests of Franklin Carter, Jr.

Miss Aggie Quinn has returned from Blackinton, where she has been spending a few days with friends.

Charles Noyes has taken the contract to paint the Graham and Noyes block on Spring street.

Franklin Carter will return to Seneca Falls with his friend, Mr. Gould, and will be absent about one week.

Miss Mary McNamee of Schuylerville, N. Y., is visiting friends in town.

Miss Fanny Jerome went to Albany, N. Y., yesterday where she will spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Ulcott.

Mr. E. B. Sherman of Manson, Iowa, is in town for the first time in twenty years. He is staying at his brother's, B. H. Sherman. He takes great pleasure in looking up his old acquaintances and friends.

Murphy & Nolan have finished painting Frederick Mather's house on Main street, also the Taconic Inn.

Miss Grace Bulkley, who is now in Johnsonville, is much worse and cannot move from the bed.

Ike Valkenberg's horse became unmanageable on Depot street and after kicking the dashboard to pieces and marring the wagon somewhat was stopped without injuries to any person.

John Goodrich has taken the contract for painting the interior of Frederick Mather's house.

Eight extra passenger trains passed through this place during the day. These were on their way to the Christian Endeavor convention in Boston.

B. H. Sherman is now repairing steam pipes, and has done a good deal of plumbing at Sarges', "Greylock Hall" at South Williamstown.

Joseph Knell expects to complete this week, the house he is building for James M. Ide.

The town ball nine organized this summer and chose the following players: Alfred McMullen, captain, first base; John Waldey, catcher; P. Keefe, pitcher; L. Perry, second base; George Bryant, third base; P. Kelley, short stop; Luke Madden, left field; George Alden, right field; Will Comers, centre field; Ed. Dempsy, substitute and James McMahon, manager. This nine will play at Blackinton Saturday.

M. G. Gavitt is building an addition to his house on West Main street. The cellar is completed and the carpenters begin work Monday.

Two fellows from Bennington, while passing through Water street on a tandem bicycle, collided with a team, smashing the front wheel of their bicycle beyond repair. One of them hired a team and drove home to get another front wheel.

Mrs. Hopper will move her millinery store from Macy street up to the store vacated by J. L. Scott on Spring street. Her dwelling house will be the one vacated by James Peabody.

The frame of C. H. Mather's new house is up and work will be hurried as much as possible before cold weather.

R. H. Lansing is repairing the front part of his house, and B. H. Sherman is putting on steel roofing on the back roof.

Bate Daniels expects to move back into one of his new houses on Hoxie avenue.

## BLACKINTON.

Miss Aggie Quinn of Williamstown is visiting friends in town.  
Mrs. Hugh Fyfe, Sr., has returned from three weeks' visit at Gilbertville.

Mrs. Donica and daughter of North Adams was in town yesterday the guest of Mrs. C. E. Washburne.

Garfield Davis has purchased a new organ, the result of saving his money. Whenever he received a nickel or dime he saved it, so that now a beautiful new organ is the result.

The Fairbanks scales at the Blackinton store has been thoroughly repaired—a new frame built, new plank laid so that now it is in good working order.

Richard Kately a youth of six years had a narrow escape from drowning Wednesday. He was at the "Rock" where the boys go swimming when some one dared him to jump in. Kately wasn't to be "stumped" so he jumped, the water being very deep at this place and as the boy was unable to swim he sank but was rescued after some difficulty, and after a few moments was all right.

## BRAYTONVILLE.

John G. Gould of N. Y., who has been in this mill the past six months studying the construction of cloth, returns home for a short visit, and will soon leave there for Rockville to enter the Springfield mill. Mr. Gould expects to enter the cloth trade.

Dennis Brown, John Drysdale and Howard Bamford left this morning for the convention at Boston.

Mrs. Edward Bamford has broken ground for a new house on the land adjoining Martin Norton's property.

## AN EXCITING GAME.

Sixteen Innings Failed to Settle the Boston-Louisville Contest.

LOUISVILLE, July 11.—The Colonels and the Red Sox put up a game that is seldom seen in these parts. Brilliant play after brilliant play was made by both teams. Almost every man made some kind of a circus catch or stop. The most exciting incident of the game occurred in the 14th inning, when McCarthy singled and McCreey led the ball away from him. Spies interfered with Tommy at first and received a buff in the jaw for his trouble. Tommy continued around to third, and Spies rushed around the diamond to punch his head off, but Umpire McDonald prevented further trouble. Umpire McDonald then ordered both men out of the game.

Score:—1. 000 1 900 00000000—2 Boston—000 1001000000000—2  
Earned runs—Louisville, 1; Boston, 1. Base hits—Louisville, 11; Boston, 12. Errors—Louisville, 2; Boston, 3. Batteries—McDermott and Warner; Doherty and Ryan.

At Cleveland:  
New York—0 0 0 1 0 0 1 3 4—5  
Cleveland—0 1 3 5 2 0 0 0 0—9  
Earned runs—New York, 2; Cleveland, 7. Base hits—New York, 15; Cleveland, 11. Errors—New York, 3; Cleveland, 4. Batteries—Grimm and Wilson; Wallace, Cappy and O'Connor.

At St. Louis:  
Philadelphia—0 1 0 0 0 3 0 4 1—9  
St. Louis—0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—2  
Earned runs—Philadelphia, 7; St. Louis, 1. Base hits—Philadelphia, 11; St. Louis, 6. Errors—Philadelphia, 1; St. Louis, 4. Batteries—Carney and Buckley; Ebert and Miller.

At Chicago:  
Baltimore—0 0 5 1 0 0 0 0 0—13  
Chicago—0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0 0—3  
Earned runs—Baltimore, 3; Chicago, 2. Base hits—Baltimore, 13; Chicago, 7. Errors—Chicago, 6. Batteries—Henneman and Clark; Thornton, Hutchinson and Deaneau.

At Pittsburg:  
Pittsburg—0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—5  
Brooklyn—0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—4  
Earned runs—Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 1. Base hits—Pittsburg, 12; Brooklyn, 10. Errors—Pittsburg, 2; Brooklyn, 2. Batteries—Hawley and Mernitt; Leonard and Gern.

At New Bedford—New Bedford, 13; Lewiston, 2.  
At Pawtucket—Pawtucket, 32; Bangor, 9.  
At Fall River—Fall River, 11; Portland, 7.  
At Brockton—Brockton, 4; Augusta, 2.

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION.

Formal Opening of Their Annual Convention at Boston.

BOSTON, July 12.—The convention of the National Young People's union was opened at the Church of the Unity, with 232 delegations present. Rev. Dr. Q. H. Shinn offered prayer, and after sending greetings to the Christian Endeavorers, committees were appointed.

Rev. Elmer J. Felt, president, then addressed the assembly in a review of the work of the past year. Secretary Canfield reported that the national union had a membership of 9000. Miss Goldthwaite, treasurer, submitted a statement showing that \$2538.69 had been received, and all expended. After other reports had been read, the convention adjourned for dinner.

At the afternoon session papers were presented on the work of the various committees of the local unions, the devotional committee, the lookout committee and the charity committee. The session closed at 3:30, when the visiting delegates proceeded on a sight-seeing tour.

At the evening session, the first speaker was Rev. Henrietta G. Moore of Springfield, O., who spoke on "What American Citizenship Should Mean." She said that American citizenship should mean a citizenship of brains and character, not one of sense. It means loyalty, loyalty to religion—not the religion of creed, but of helpfulness; loyalty to our own youth. American citizenship should not grow old. American citizenship should mean a sober citizenship; one that seeks not to perpetuate, but to overthrow the liquor traffic.

Rev. F. O. Hall of Lowell spoke upon "The Claim of the Church Upon the Young." He said that some sneer at the claims of the church upon the life of the mortal, but they have stopped sneering in New York ever since Dr. Parkhurst wielded the power of Christian sentiment and cleansed the politics of the metropolis. There were many problems for the church to solve. The church means the young people. It used to be thought that the colonies, seven centuries ago, still honor to the little red schoolhouse," said he, "and to the larger schoolhouse which has succeeded it."

**Murdered by Italians.**  
NEW HAVEN, July 12.—The body of Thomas Lavelle of Shelton was found in the Housatonic river on July 7. Joseph Roun, an Italian, aged 16, has just been arrested, and a warrant is out for the arrest of another Italian. The Shelton police have obtained evidence that Lavelle went to a slum of Birmingham the night of July 6 and got into a quarrel with 13 men and his companions. The slum was full of Italian knaves and chafed him to death and then threw the body into the Housatonic river.

**A Chicago Sensation.**  
CHICAGO, July 12.—The recent failure of the Lender department store took a sensational turn yesterday, when the three members of the firm were arrested upon a charge of making false statements with regard to their credit and obtaining goods on the strength of such statements. The men were released under heavy bonds.

**Pontifical Endorsement.**  
ROME, July 12.—A papal brief, addressed to Cardinal Gibbons, approves of the project he submitted to the pope, especially the convocation of a Eucharist congress in America, and an educational program of philosophy, letters and science for the Catholic university of Washington.

**Gene Since Saturday.**  
GENEVA, N. Y., July 12.—Harry May and Cleveland Cox, students at Hobart college, started on Saturday last to row around Seneca lake, and have not since been seen. It is feared that they have been drowned.

**Bicycles at Battalion Drill.**  
The feature of the day's battalion drill was the use of ordies mounted on bicycles. Each major had an orderly on a wheel, and when he desired to send an order to a distant point the wheelman carried it.

All kinds of rough and hilly ground were covered by these messengers, but their introduction was a complete success. The ordies have been usually mounted on horses. The bicycle ordies were mounted on 25 pound wheels. General Henry and the other United States army officers will make a report to the war department of the splendid work done over this rough ground, practically in action.—New York Recorder.

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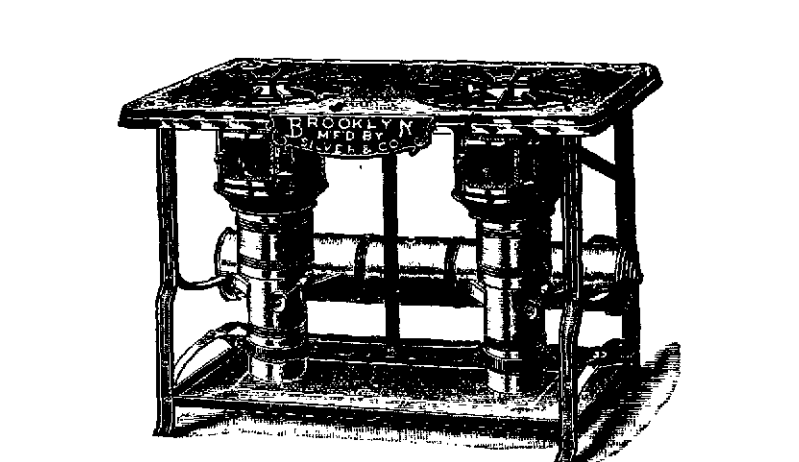
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Good Calico Wrappers 58c.  
Large Sofa Pillows, with frill, 49c.  
Odd Drapery Curtains 58c.  
Elegant Wall Papers 10c a roll.  
Sheff Oil Cloth 5c a yard.  
35 Pictures, enameled frames, 17c.  
Summer Corsets 35c a pair.  
Printed Dimples 5c, was 12 1/2c.  
Gen. Grant's Memoirs 58c.  
Printed Organias at 5c.  
One case Figured Lawns 5c.  
Window Shades, roller and daco 17c.  
Misses' and Ladies' best black Hose 20c a pair.  
Also many other bargains in Wash Goods this week.



## WEATHER FORECAST.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.)  
 Boston,  
 July 12, 12 noon  
 Washington fore-  
 cast until Saturday  
 night for Massa-  
 chusetts. Fair  
 and warmer tonight  
 with southerly  
 winds.

The local forecast for Boston and vicinity until Friday night. Fair weather continuing cool, west to northwest winds becoming variable. The weather which has prevailed over the eastern parts of the country for the sixty hours passed away to the eastward during yesterday and last night and, excepting some cloudiness and rain in the southwest, the weather of the entire country is fair to-day.



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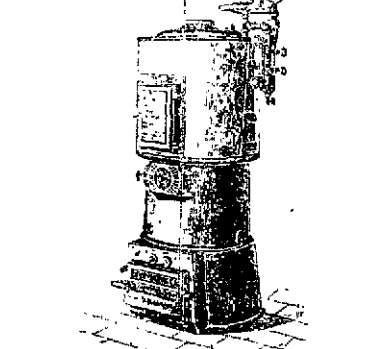
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Boston, July 12.—The splendid wel-  
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 50,000 delegates to the annual Christian En-  
 deavor convention has gladdened their  
 hearts, and last night three magnificent  
 divisions of the happy multitude praised  
 God in song and prayer.

Even the immensity of the enthusiasm  
 that prevailed yesterday at the big meet-  
 ings in Mechanics' hall and the two great  
 tents, Williston and Endover, was ex-  
 ceeded last night at yet greater gatherings  
 at the same places. Clouded skies, that late  
 in the afternoon threatened to destroy the  
 continuation of the fine weather that has  
 prevailed since the delegates began to ar-  
 rive, cleared away as the shades of even-  
 ing fell, and the very heavens added to the  
 many beautiful electrical decorative  
 features throughout the city that has so  
 completely and sincerely done all it could  
 to welcome within its precincts so many  
 who have so far felt like strangers.

Long before the hour appointed for the  
 opening of the meeting, large crowds were  
 pouring into Tent Endover and devoted the  
 time in singing a number of hymns, un-  
 der the direction of Musical Director  
 Foster. When Chairman Rev. J. Z.  
 Tyler, D.D., of Cleveland, stepped upon  
 the platform, the vast seating capacity was  
 tested to its utmost limit. After singing  
 the hymn, "Hanging in the Sheets,"  
 Rev. W. B. Milligan of Allegheny read a  
 section of the Scriptures, the vast con-  
 gregation joining in the response, which  
 were printed in the official program.

Rev. Dr. Harding, general secretary of  
 the general missions, offered prayer, and  
 the Hampton (Va.) institute quartet  
 sang several selections, which were en-  
 thusiastically received. In a graceful  
 speech Chairman Tyler introduced W. H.  
 Ponnell of Washington, the first person  
 who signed the active membership pledge  
 at the Williston church, Portland, Ore.,  
 Feb. 2, 1881. Mr. Ponnell gave an amus-  
 ing account of Washington, where the  
 convention will be held in '96, and ex-  
 tended a hearty invitation to the Endeav-  
 orers to come to that city in 1896. The  
 vast congregation then sang the song,  
 "Washington '96," printed especially for  
 that occasion.

The annual report of President Clark  
 was the next feature of the meeting. This  
 was read by Professor James Lewis  
 Howe of Lexington, Va., and was greeted  
 with so much enthusiasm that at several  
 places the reader was interrupted by the  
 great applause. The hymn, "Hark to the  
 Ties that Bind," was then sung by the  
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United society to the convention of '96,  
 which is to be held at the national cap-  
 ital.

Mr. Smith was frequently applauded,  
 and when Musical Director Foster in-  
 troduced the song which followed, every  
 Endeavorer joined in singing "Washing-  
 ton, '96," with a will.

President Clark received a grand ov-  
 ation when he advanced to the speakers'  
 desk to read his annual report. The Cha-  
 tanqua salute greeted him as he appeared,  
 and loud and long continued cheers fol-  
 lowed. Following is a synopsis of  
 President Clark's Address.

Judged by all standards, it is no im-  
 modest statement that the Endeavor move-  
 ment is a success. An organization which  
 in 14 years has grown from one society to  
 40,000, from 30 members to nearly 2,500,000;  
 an organization that has led the globe;  
 that finds itself as much at home in Old  
 England as in New England, under the  
 southern cross as under the north star, un-  
 der the dragon flag of China as under the  
 Stars and stripes of America, can claim  
 surely to be no provincial and temporary  
 expedient, but a world-wide, providential  
 movement.

But success brings its own responsi-  
 bilities. If the crop is large, the duties of  
 stewardship are also large. The responsi-  
 bility for the future of Christian Endeavor  
 rests not with any leaders or officers or  
 united society or union, but with the En-  
 deavorers themselves, in every one of the  
 40,000 societies of the world around. What  
 is demanded of us by the very triumphs of  
 this good cause?

First—I would mention humble, self-  
 devotion to the cause we represent, which  
 is the cause of Christ; a devotion which is  
 not measured by leaves and fishes; a de-  
 votion which is entirely independent of  
 offices and emoluments and honors. This  
 society, thank God, has never yet been  
 the theater of designing, covetous schem-  
 ers. Its very genius, its spiritual endow-  
 ment, its lofty purpose, its loyal dependence on the  
 church which it serves, will, I believe, pre-  
 serve it in the future as in the past.

Second—Past successes have all been  
 won along the lines of fidelity and intense  
 loyalty: loyalty to God and his word,  
 loyalty to the individual churches of our  
 forefathers. These very successes thrust  
 upon us the same course for the future. In  
 order that we may be more intelligently  
 faithful may I suggest that greater atten-  
 tion be paid to the study of God's word.

Systematically and consecutively.  
 It is the proud boast of this society, and  
 it is no empty boast, that it is as loyal to  
 its own church as any purely denominational  
 society possibly can be. Let this  
 loyalty be as intelligent as it is intense.  
 Let us know why we are Baptists and  
 Methodists and Presbyterians and Luther-  
 ans and Disciples of Christ and Congrega-  
 tionalists and Episcopalians. Let us base  
 our service on intelligent devotion as well  
 as on traditional veneration.

Third—The successes of the past have  
 been due to certain distinctive principles,  
 which have come to be known as Christian  
 Endeavor principles. This convention is  
 not an agglomeration of various  
 people's societies. It is not a gathering of  
 musical and literary and social and  
 amusement societies. It is a convention  
 of Christian Endeavor societies. The  
 growth of these 14 years is not a happy  
 combination of odd elements which have  
 come together by chance. As every plant  
 has a root, so every Endeavor society has  
 a root. Rather, it has three roots: the  
 pledge, the consecration meeting, and a  
 system of committees by which its practi-  
 cal service for Christ is performed. You  
 might as well expect a plant to grow  
 strong and vigorous if you hack away at  
 its roots, as in Endeavor society to grow  
 strong without these cardinal principles.

The God-ordained purpose of the En-  
 deavor movement is to extend the stand-  
 ard of practical devotion and conse-  
 crated religious enthusiasm of young  
 people. It is constantly saying by  
 means of the pledge, the consecration  
 meeting, and the leading committees:  
 "Make of your religion the first thing in  
 all your lives. Place it before your busi-  
 ness, before your social pleasures, before  
 your school, before your amusements.  
 There is no superior thing in this world,  
 and that is the service of the Master."  
 This gives Christian Endeavor a right to  
 live. This accounts for its success in the  
 past. This guarantees

its success in the future.  
 Fourth—But while the absolute neces-  
 sity of keeping the movement "true to  
 type," as the gardeners would say, is laid  
 upon us, a necessity no less strenuous is  
 ours to wisely follow the late providential  
 paths which God has marked out. When,  
 two years ago, at Montreal, the suggestion  
 was made to you, Endeavorers, that as in-  
 dividuals you had unfulfilled duties along  
 the line of Christian citizenship and mis-  
 sionary enlargement, who would have  
 believed that your response would have been  
 so prompt and generous? How you have  
 leaped forward to your duty and your  
 privilege! How the rapid contagion of  
 these ideas has spread from society to so-  
 ciety, from localities to localities, from  
 city to country, from state to state, and  
 province and nation! Not a death-deal-  
 ing contagion is this, but a blessed in-  
 fection which, please God, will make for-  
 ever impossible the smallpox of such na-  
 tional misdeeds and corruption as we have  
 known in the past.

To speak first of our efforts for a better  
 citizenship. It behooves us to be very  
 modest. I make no extravagant claims  
 for the Christian Endeavor society, but it  
 is fair to say the society has had no in-  
 significant part in the general uprising of  
 Christian people which has buried Tam-  
 many under 50,000 white ballots in New  
 York city, and is now fighting an equally  
 corrupt foe of another breed in the same  
 state; which has voted for reform, 30,000  
 strong in Chicago, which is now engaged  
 in cleansing the dirty streets and the gar-  
 bier politics of that and other cities; and  
 which in a hundred places has awakened  
 the civic conscience and purified a fetid  
 political atmosphere.

But the very success of these movements  
 for a better citizenship and a larger mis-  
 sionary zeal, unprecedented and unex-  
 pected as it has been, brings with it re-  
 sponsibility for further effort, along the  
 same lines. Grant a nation some moral  
 success in arms, was "Pash" Pasha's  
 Napoolean's motto.

Let the flying flag, I believe, our capitol  
 has no other order to us, for our flag is  
 the flag of the cross. It is the flag of  
 the cross that has been the great inspira-  
 tion of the success we have already  
 given us. Not as a political party, but in  
 all political parties, stand for rightness,  
 for honesty, for purity, for good  
 men and good laws. Do not be content  
 until a corrupt political deal is impos-  
 sible and indecorable as an open, un-  
 covered would be your partner. Follow the fly-  
 ing flag. Push things. The word of the  
 Lord and of Christian Endeavor.

A Tammany in America forever more  
 impossible! A mis-sionary board forever  
 impossible! These are two of the re-  
 sponsibilities of the future from the suc-  
 cesses of the past in Christian Endeavor.

Fifth—Once more, our success in the  
 past has been the success of a united host.  
 It could never have been won as a set,  
 a segment of the movement, but as a  
 far as we have been allowed by our su-  
 periors, we represent the individual evan-  
 gelical young people of America. For this  
 spiritual unity Christian Endeavor stands,  
 as well as for the pledge and consecration  
 meeting. Thank God, that in every de-  
 nomination but one, the world around,  
 following the last twelvemonth, this fol-  
 lowing has been growing louder and more  
 complete. "E Pluribus Unum" is the  
 motto all around the world as truly as it  
 is the motto of the United States of  
 America. State and provincial pride and

loyalty are no less intense because of the  
 union of states in the United States, of  
 the provinces in the Dominion of Canada,  
 against common foes. Denominational  
 loyalty and love are only more marked  
 toward the same end, toward this alli-  
 ance, offensive and defensive.

Against the Hosts of Evil.  
 In such a fellowship only can we go for-  
 ward to the larger victories. But this  
 fellowship, I believe, is assured.  
 Then let us enlarge our boundaries,  
 Christian Endeavorers, not for the sake of  
 the organization, but for the sake of the  
 kingdom; enlargement means a larger  
 federation, a sweeter fellowship, a wider  
 unity, a stronger army to fight against  
 holy and venerable wrongs. Let us en-  
 large our fellowship for no selfish end, but  
 because the God-given successes of the  
 past show that enlargement means the  
 spread of the intense devotional idea for  
 which Christian Endeavor stands, because  
 it means civic purity, missionary exten-  
 sion—the world for Christ. Let us enlarge  
 our fellowship because thereby we are  
 answering our Lord's prayer "that they  
 all be one."

I have thought you might grow tired of  
 our old annual motto, and I have tried to  
 find another one as appropriate, but I can-  
 not do it. The successes of the past year  
 only emphasize it, for they are all of  
 Christ and of Christian fraternity; so  
 I must give it to you again for the  
 coming year—the motto which tells of  
 our captain and of one fellowship; the  
 motto which held us together to past suc-  
 cesses; the motto which shows the only  
 road to future victories; the motto which  
 tells alike of our leadership and our  
 brotherhood. Here it is. Take it, O Chris-  
 tian Endeavorers; take it, and live by it  
 for another twelvemonth. "One is your  
 master, even Christ; and all ye are  
 brethren."

The Convention of '97.  
 Another enthusiastic round of applause  
 marked the conclusion of the president's  
 address, and the cheering continued when  
 Secretary Baer announced that at the  
 meeting of the trustees San Francisco had  
 been decided on as the meeting place of the  
 convention in 1897.

Dwight J. Moody, Northfield, was in-  
 troduced next, after the hymn, "The Banner  
 of the Cross," had been rendered by the  
 entire congregation. "The Bible and Its  
 Relation to the Christian Endeavor Society"  
 was the topic discussed by him. He  
 said that he believed something more than  
 enthusiastic meetings and charitable  
 work were necessary for the perpetuation  
 of the Christian Endeavor movement, and  
 he believed that something was the Bible.  
 He urged the delegates to base their  
 faith and trust in the world of the omni-  
 potent as spoken to them through the  
 Bible, and to make the Bible entire and  
 complete the foundation of their religion.  
 He was not a pessimist, he said, and could  
 see today a brighter outlook for Chris-  
 tianity than ever before. Mr. Moody con-  
 cluded with a fervent prayer and an appeal  
 to the delegates to learn the Bible thor-  
 oughly and follow its teachings.

The hymn, "Tell the Glad Story Again,"  
 and prayer by Rev. William Patterson of  
 Toronto, concluded the evening's exercises.  
 The overflow meeting, which was held on  
 the steps of the main entrance to the hall,  
 was opened by Rev. Henry Lewis of In-  
 dianapolis. Rev. John Pollock of Scotland,  
 President Clark and Secretary Baer also  
 addressed the meeting. The addresses  
 were interspersed with numerous hymns,  
 and the gathering did not adjourn until  
 delegates within the hall began to pour  
 out through the doors.

## TODAY'S MEETINGS.

Enthusiasm Appears to Grow as the Con-  
 vention Progresses.  
 If the meetings of yesterday could be  
 called enthusiastic, what shall be said of  
 those of today? From the opening of the  
 early morning prayer meetings in the vari-  
 ous churches up to the noon adjournment  
 at Mechanics' hall and Tent Williston  
 and Endover, one could go but a short  
 distance without hearing songs of praise  
 to the Almighty.

The scenes at the convention's meeting  
 places today were a repetition of those  
 of yesterday, unless, perhaps, the delegates  
 were more numerous. Long before the  
 hour of opening the doors of Mechanics'  
 hall, some spoke to front of the building  
 was closely packed by a mighty throng,  
 and song after song was sung with a  
 spirit that showed how sincere were the  
 Endeavorers' feelings. Inside the hall the  
 singing was continued until the conven-  
 tion was called to order at 9:30. The  
 same enthusiasm prevailed at Tent En-  
 deavor and Tent Williston.

Today's work of the Endeavorers was  
 begun this morning by attending prayer  
 meetings in 21 city churches. The ser-  
 vices lasted from 6:30 to 7:15, and the topic  
 was "Faith—Trusting in the Lord Jesus  
 Christ for Strength."  
 Trustee Rev. M. Rhodes, D.D., St. Louis,  
 presided at Mechanics' hall today, and  
 George C. Stebbins, Brooklyn, was the  
 musical director. After praise and prayer  
 service, the information committee's re-  
 port was made by William T. Ellis, Bos-  
 ton. "Cardinal Principles of Christian  
 Endeavor" was presented by an English  
 Endeavorer, Rev. Knight Chaplin, Lon-  
 don; singing; presentation of state ban-  
 ner, for greatest proportionate increase in  
 number of local societies, presented by  
 Rev. Wayland Hoyt, D.D., Minneapolis;  
 "Cardinal Principles of Christian En-  
 deavor," presented by an American En-  
 deavorer, Rev. O. A. Smith, D.D., Evans-  
 ville, Ind.; open parliament—topic, "The  
 Pledge, the Backbone of the Society, Its  
 Necessity and Its Paramount Value"—  
 conducted by O. W. Stewart, Eureka,  
 Ill.; singing; address, "I Ought, There-  
 fore I Can," Rev. A. E. Turner, D.D.,  
 Lincoln, Ill.

Williston's Program.  
 This was the program at Tent Will-  
 iston, President Francis E. Clark pre-  
 siding. Praise and prayer service; infor-  
 mation committee's report; Amos R. Wells, Bos-  
 ton; Cardinal Endeavor Principles, pre-  
 sented by an Australian Endeavorer, Rev.  
 W. J. Closs, Sydney, N. S. W.; singing;  
 reports from denominational meetings,  
 conducted by Rev. E. B. Bagby, Washing-  
 ton; (representatives having two minutes  
 each.) African Methodist Episcopal and  
 African Methodist Episcopal Zion (joint  
 rally), Rev. R. H. Stitt, Philadelphia; Ad-  
 vantage Christian, Rev. A. C. Johnson, Lynn;  
 Baptist, Rev. H. C. Nedder, Chester, Pa.;  
 Canadian Presbyterian, Rev. W. R. Cruik-  
 shank, Montreal; Christian, Rev. G. W.  
 Morrow, West Randolph, Vt.; Church of  
 God, John W. Mackay, Harrisburg; Con-  
 gregational, W. H. Strong, Detroit; Con-  
 siderland Presbyterian, Rev. R. W. Lewis,  
 Meridian, Miss.; Disciples of Christ, Rev.  
 Allan B. Philpott, D.D., Philadelphia;  
 Free Baptist, Rev. O. H. Tracy, Somers-  
 worth, N. H.; Friends, Winslow M. Bell,  
 Milton, N. Y.; German Societies, Carl  
 E. Wittwer, Buffalo; Lutheran, Rev.  
 Willis S. Hinman, Columbia, Pa.;  
 Methodist, Rev. A. S. Shelly, Bally, Pa.;  
 singing; Cardinal Endeavor Principles,  
 presented by a Scotch Endeavorer, Rev.  
 John Pollock, Glasgow; presentation  
 of state banner, for greatest absolute  
 gain in number of societies, presented  
 by Rev. F. E. Hamilton, Newtonville;  
 Open Parliament—Topic: "The Feet and  
 Hands of the Society, How they are em-  
 ployed"—conducted by Rev. J. A. Roud-  
 thaler, D.D., Indianapolis.

Rev. Howard B. Grose, Chicago, pre-  
 sided at Endover tent, and George K.  
 Somerby, Boston, was musical director;  
 Praise and prayer service; information  
 committee's report, by George B. Grant,  
 Boston; presentation of Junior state ban-  
 ners, one for greatest absolute gain in

number of societies, the other for greatest  
 proportionate gain, conducted by Rev. J.  
 F. Cowan, D.D., Pittsburgh; Cardinal  
 Endeavor Principles, presented by an Irish  
 Endeavorer, Rev. J. L. Lamont, Belfast;  
 Open Parliament—Topic: "The Heart of the  
 Society, the Consecration Meeting, How  
 to Make the Most of It"—conducted by  
 Rev. Burt Estes Howard, Los Angeles;  
 singing; report from denominational  
 meetings, conducted by Rev. D. O. Mears,  
 D.D., Cleveland (speakers limited to  
 two minutes each); Methodist Episcopal,  
 Methodist Episcopal South, Methodist of  
 Canada (joint rally), Rev. J. Wallace  
 McMillan, Philadelphia; Methodist Pro-  
 testant, Paul M. Strayer, Baltimore; Mo-  
 ravian, Rev. A. D. Thacker, Winston, N. C.;  
 Presbyterian, Rev. George B. Stewart,  
 D.D., Harrisburg; Protestant Episcopal in  
 Canada and United States, Rev. Canon J.  
 B. Richardson, London, Ont.; Reformed  
 Church in America, Rev. Isaac W. Gowen,  
 New Durham, N. J.; Reformed Church in  
 the United States, Rev. Horace T. Spangler,  
 D.D., Collegeville, Pa.; Reformed Episco-  
 pal, Bishop Samuel Fallows, D.D., Chi-  
 cago; Reformed Presbyterian, Rev. Sam-  
 uel McNaughton, Boston; Southern Pres-  
 byterian, Professor James Lewis Howe,  
 Lexington, Va.; United Brethren, Rev.  
 H. F. Shupe, Dayton, O.; United Evan-  
 gelical, Professor Odis L. Jacobs, York,  
 Pa.; United Presbyterian, Rev. B. M.  
 Russell, D.D., Pittsburgh; Cardinal Prin-  
 ciples of Christian Endeavor, presented by  
 a Canadian Endeavorer, Rev. S. P. Rose,  
 D.D., Montreal.

Workers Amid Workers.  
 One of the most unique features of the  
 great convention is the series of noonday  
 prayer meetings held at business places  
 throughout the city. The first of these  
 meetings proved to be that their origi-  
 nators hoped. Delegations from different  
 states had charge of the various gather-  
 ings, and the greatest enthusiasm pre-  
 vailed everywhere.

The prayer and song services were held  
 in every conceivable place. In Faneuil  
 hall were a great number of market men,  
 in Seacom's Belfry and along the wharves  
 the "tars" in their port were entertained.  
 Into lumber and coal yards, factories,  
 shops and mills, the young Endeavorers  
 penetrated, and wherever they went they  
 were welcomed, and a fine half-hour en-  
 joyed by all.

At the hospitals some pathetic scenes oc-  
 curred, which were in striking contrast to  
 the gayety and good cheer at other places.  
 The meetings will be held every day  
 during the convention, judging from the  
 "come again" that followed the Endeav-  
 orers as they left the places of meeting.  
 Services are being held this noon at Fan-  
 euil hall, conducted by Dwight L. Moody,  
 in Brimfield Street Methodist Episco-  
 pal church, conducted by Rev. J. W.  
 Chapman, D.D., Albany, and evangel-  
 istic services are being conducted in vari-  
 ous parts of the city by state and city  
 delegations.

So Say We All.  
 PARIS, July 12.—Le Paris says: Let us  
 hope that the Kustis incident will not  
 have grave consequences, and that Mr.  
 Baudis, once relieved of the worry over it,  
 will calmly resume his functions, the ex-  
 ercise of which has already won him sincere  
 sympathy on all sides.

Quickly Taken Up.  
 BERLIN, July 12.—The subscriptions to  
 the cause have opened yesterday and  
 closed almost immediately, owing to the  
 fact that a much larger amount was  
 promptly subscribed at once than will be  
 needed.

France to Sell Out.  
 LEXINGTON, Ky., July 12.—W. C. France,  
 the famous breeder of trotters, has retired  
 from the business. He will sell his sta-  
 tions, brood mares and all the horses in  
 training—so in all.

Ample Assets.  
 HAVANA, July 12.—The